

ROCKDALE COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

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CASE #:		

VARIANCE AND ALTERATIONS TO CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL APPLICATION CHECKLIST

This	application is required for a Variance and for Alterations to or Repeal of Conditions of Approval. The Instructions provide further details.										
	FILING INFORMATION (OFFICE USE ONLY)										
Filin	Filing Date: BOA Hearing:										
	PROPERTY										
	erty Address(es): h City and Zip Code) Tax Parcel Numbers:										
Tota	l Acreage: Number of Properties:										
be cl the e	2019 House Bill 493, detailed checklists of items required to be submitted for each type of project are supplemental to this application. Each item must hecked off and a page number where the item is located must be noted and included with the application. The applicant must sign the affidavit, at not of the application and each required checklist, certifying that all required items are provided. If there are questions regarding items required for your iffic project, contact staff for clarification prior to submitting the application.										
Plan	lications that do not provide documentation or required materials will be noted as incomplete and may result in delays in the Board of Commissioners', ning Commission's, or Staff's review of the application and/or denial of the request. The Board of Commissioners and Planning Commission reserves ight to require additional information if it believes that the submission of such information is necessary to understand the nature of the intended activity.										
	sions made to the applications after the submittal deadline and prior to the Board of Commissioners' or Planning Commission's hearing may be continued e following month's hearing.										
	Unified Development Ordinance (UDO) Sec. 218.1 provides the list of permitted uses in each Zoning District. If the Zoning District does not permit the osed zoning use classification, a separate application is required.										
	Sec. 202.6 provides the zoning districts that are permitted within each FLU Category. If the FLU Category does not permit the proposed zoning district, parate application is required.										
	REQUIRED Pre-Application Conference (UDO Sec. 238-4(d)(1)): Date attended and with which staff member:										
	Completed Application: Provide one (1) digital copy and three (3) hard copies of the entire submittal packet.										
	Property Information (Page 4)										
	Contact Information (Page 4): Property Owner(s), Applicant, Authorized Agent, Attorney.										
	Site and Development Information (Page 5): General information on the property, services and utilities.										
	Justification of the Request (Page 6): In your own words, type the reason you believe the zoning of the subject property should be amended.										
	Special Use Permit Review Standards (Page 7): Provide justification for each of the following review standards (UDO Sec. 238-4(g)(2)). The Board of Commissioners, the Planning Commission, and the Department will use these standards to evaluate the request.										
	Supplemental Use Standards (Page 8): UDO Sec. 238-13. Answer each of the review standards listed in UDO Sec. 238-6. The Board of Commissioners, the Planning Commission, and the Department will use these standards to evaluate the request.										
	Conditions of Approval (Page 9): UDO Sec. 238-15. Provide justification for each of the review standards listed in UDO Sec. 238-6. The Board of Commissioners, the Planning Commission, and the Department will use these standards to evaluate the request.										
	Applicant Certification (Page 10)										
	Ownership Statement and Campaign Contribution Disclosure Statement (Page 11): If the property is listed in the name of more than one individual or entity, each owner must sign all documents. Property owner(s) signature(s) must be notarized. If the property has been sold within the last 90 days, a copy of the deed with the new owner(s) name(s) is required. Ownership of property will be verified by staff. The owner(s) of the property is required to disclose political campaign contributions. Disclosures must be notarized.										
	Agent Authorization Form and Campaign Disclosure Statement (Page 12): If the owner of the property wishes to have someone represent his/her interest in all matters relating to a rezoning application, the notarized signatures of the owner(s) and agent are required. Agents are required to disclose political campaign contributions. Disclosures must be notarized										

Attorney Authorization Form and Campaign Disclosure Statement (Page 13): If the owner of the property wishes to have an attorney represent his/her interest in all matters relating to this application, the notarized signatures of the current owner(s) and attorney are required. Attorneys are required to disclose political campaign contributions. Disclosures must be notarized.										
Proof of Ownership: Deed recorded with Rockdale County Clerk of Courts. A copy of the deed of the property or properties may be obtained at the Rockdale County Courthouse in the Real Estate Records Room on the 1st floor.										
Original Plat or Survey: Plat or survey recorded with Rockdale County Clerk of Courts or referenced by the Deed, if not recorded.										
Survey plat: Signed and sealed by an engineer, landscape architect, or land surveyor. A copy of the existing survey plat of the property or properties may be obtained at the Rockdale County Courthouse in the Real Estate Records Room on the 1st floor. However, one complete boundary survey is required for projects with more than one property.										
Legal description of the property: This written description, found on the property deed, containing the metes & bounds of the property or properties. However, the legal description must be provided in Word with this application.										
Site plan: Complete and detailed site plan of the proposed use prepared, signed and sealed by an architect, landscape architect or engineer licensed in the State of Georgia showing the following. The Site Plan may include any additional graphics which will explain the features of the development, but shall include the following:										
A written description of the details of the	proposed use and develo	opment det	ails.							
A vicinity map showing the use and zoning	ng of all properties withi	n one (1) r	nile of	the prope	erty subject to tl	ne rezoning reque	st.			
All proposed setbacks, buffer yards, struc	cture heights, and lot cov	erage calcu	ılation	s.						
All proposed buildings, structures, fences the site and adjacent sites within 400 feet		oor storage	, perm	anent dun	npsters, and oth	er improvements	to be located upon			
All proposed open spaces and recreational	al amenities.									
All proposed stormwater management fa County Stormwater Department.	cilities and connections	(all storm	water o	connection	ns shall be sub	ect to the approv	al of the Rockdale			
All proposed location and capacities of public and private utilities (all septic systems shall be subject to the approval of the Rockdale County Environmental Health Department, all public sewer and water connections shall be subject to the approval of the Rockdale County Water Resources or public service provider).										
Lakes, streams, other water bodies, and w	vetlands on or adjacent to	o the site a	nd asso	ociated bu	ffers.					
All proposed public improvements include	ling sidewalks, street tre	es, and righ	nt-of-w	ay dedica	ations.					
All proposed locations for temporary use	s, such as seasonal sales	areas.								
☐ Such other and additional information as	may be requested by the	Zoning A	dminis	trator.						
Current and Proposed FLU Category and Zon	ning District for the pro	operty:								
Address	Tax Parcel No.	Acreage		ent FLU tegory	Proposed FLU Category	Current Zoning District	Proposed Zoning District			
Filing Fee: The non-refundable filing fee is pay Mastercard), check, or money order payable to R		ication. Pa	yment	may be i	made by cash (exact amount), cr	edit card (VISA or			
 Special Use Permit; and Alterations to Sp	pecial Use Conditions									
Acres Fee per Property Fee Amount										
☐ 0-4.99 acres			9	\$400		\$				
5-9.99 acres \$500 \$										
☐ 10-19.99 acres			\$	\$700		\$				
20 acres and more		\$900 \$								
Development of Regional Impact (DRI) r	required by UDO Sec. 23	38-5. See I	Pages 1	10 and 11	of the Instructi	ons for the ARC	DRI Threshholds.			
Fee: \$1,200										
Filing Fee (Fee Amount + DRI Fee) \$										

	AFFIDAVIT CERTI	YING CO	OMPLETENESS O	F APPLICATION				
hereby acknowledge that I understand the requirements listed above for what constitutes a complete application. I have checked off each box and included a page number where the item is located. I confirm that the requirements for a complete application have been met.								
the undersigned applicant also hereby verifies that he or she is 18 years of age or older and has provided at least one secure and verifiable document, as required by O.C.G.A. 50-36-1(e)(1), with this affidavit.								
Wait to be in front of notary to sign: (Signature)			(Applicant's N	lame)	(Date)			
		N	OTARY					
The secure and verificlassified as:	ïable document provided with this affidavit	can best be		(type o	of document)			
Executed in	(city) (county	,	, this	(day)	day of			
	Notary Public signature		()	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	EAL			
GA	Registration No. and expiration date							



Owner:

Address: City:

Office #:

Email:

Business / Person Name :

Owner of Tax Parcel No(s).:

State:

Mobile #:
Fax #:

Zip:

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SPECIAL USE PERMIT AND

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ALTERATIONS TO ZONING CONDITIONS APPLICATION										
	FILING INFORMATION (OFFICE USE ONLY)									
Filing Date:	BOC 1R WS:	BOC 1R	VS: P	C Hearing	g:	BOC Hearing:	BOC 2R WS:	BOC 2R VS:		
			PROPEI	RTY IN	FORMA	ATION				
Property Address(e (With City and Zip					Tax Parce	l Numbers:				
Total Acreage:				Nun	nber of Pr	operties:				
Subdivision:			Land Lot(s):				Dist	rict(s):		
Current Zoning:				Prop	posed Zon	ing:				
Current FLU Categ	ory:			Prop	posed FLU	J Category:				
Current Use:				Prop	posed Use	:				
Zoning History (Re	zonings, Special	Use Permits, Vari	iances, etc.):	·						
Are there existing o	conditions of zoni	ng for the propert	y? If so, please	list:						
Purpose of requeste	ed amendment:									
			APPLIC	ANT IN	FORM	ATION				
Applicant / Authori	zed Agent:			Autl	Authorized Agent / Attorney:					
Business / Person N	Vame:			Bus	Business / Person Name :					
Address:				Add	Address:					
City:		State:	Zip:	City	7:		State:	Zip:		
Office #:		Mobile #:		Offi	ice#:		Mobile #:			
Email:		Fax #:		Ema	ail:		Fax #:			
Applicant Status (c	heck one):	Owner	Authorized Age	ent						
	PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION									

				SITE INFORM	ATION								
Any Applicable Zoning	g Overlay l	Districts:											
Schools:				(If this request is for a commercial, industrial or office institutional zoning, school enrollment figures are not required, but the location of the nearest schools must still be completed.)									
Type		Name		Current E	Enrollment			Capacity	,		Differen	ce	
Elementary School:													
Middle School:													
High School:													
Transportation:		North		Sou	ıth			East			West		
Adjacent Roads:													
Existing ROW:													
Future ROW:													
Type:													
Types: County Rd	l; State Hw	vy; Private Dr; Pa	ved; Dirt; C	Other						•			
Are there state or count	y road imp	provements plann	ed that wou	ld impact the rezoning	g site (by e	ither F	Rockd	lale County	or GDC	T)?			
If so, please identify:													
Utilities:	Gas	Service:				Ele	ectric	Service:					
Potable Water (check o	ne):	☐ Public Syst	em	n] Well						
Location of Nearest	Line:		Diamet	Diameter of Line: Distance to C			Closest Fire Hydrant:						
	Publi	Public System						eptic Tank					
Wastewater (check	Neares	st Treatment Plant				Eva	luation by S	oil Scie	ntist:				
one):	Max C	perating Capacity		Environmental Health Approval:									
	Level	of Operation:											
Are there any easements recorded land to be consider rezoning?		If, so please desc	cribe:										
Stormwater: FIR	M Panel N	No. and Date:		Ba					Sub-E	Basin:			
Are there stream			If so, pleas	se identify:									
Property Floodplain?	Within	Zone:		has it been identified ur property plat?	Yes		No How many acres are impacted by floodplain?						
Wetlands		Type:	<u> </u>			1							
			DEV	ELOPMENT IN	FORMA'	ΓΙΟΝ	1						
Type of Development:	(check one	e)	Reside	ntial	☐ Non:	reside	ntial			☐ Mixe	ed Use		
Type of Residential: (check one)				-Family Residential	Two	-Fami	ly Re	sidential		Mult	i-Family Res	sidential	
Type of Nonresidential	:			•					<u> </u>				
If Use Contains a Residential Number of Units:				Acreage:	Resid	Residential Density (Lots/Units per Acre):							
If Use Contains a Co Component:	mmercial	Total Building	Area Propo	rea Proposed: Number of				mber of Parking Spaces:					
Does the development more information.	qualify fo	r a Development	Regional In	mpact (DRI)? See pa	ages 10 and	l 11 o	f the	Application	Instruc	tions for	Yes	☐ No	

	VARIANCE CRITERIA TO BE APPLIED
Sec	your own words, type the reason you believe a variance should be granted by providing justification for each of the following review standards (UDO 238-9(h)(1)). The following criteria shall be applied by the department and the board of adjustment in evaluating and deciding any application for a junce. The board of adjustment shall not grant a variance unless it has, in each case, make specific findings of fact based directly upon the particular dence presented supporting written conclusions that the variance meets each of the following criteria. Please address the following:
a.	Arises from a condition that is unique and peculiar to the land, structures and buildings involved
b.	Is necessary because the particular physical surroundings, the size, shape or topographical condition of the specific property involved would result in unnecessary hardship for the owner, lessee or occupants; as distinguished from a mere inconvenience, if the provisions of Title 2 of the UDO are literally enforced
c.	The condition requiring the requested relief is not ordinarily found in properties of the same zoning district as the subject property
d.	The condition is created by the regulations of Title 2 of the UDO and not by an action or actions of the property owner or the applicant
e.	The granting of the variance will not impair or injure other property or improvements in the neighborhood in which the subject property is located, nor impair an adequate supply of light or air to adjacent property, substantially increase the congestion in the public streets, increase the danger of fire, create a hazard to air navigation, endanger the public safety or substantially diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood

f.	The variance granted is the minimum variance that will make possible the reasonable use of the land, building or structures
	The variance granted is the immunity variance that will make possible the reasonable ase of the initial, culturing of structures
g.	The variance desired will not be opposed to the general spirit and intent of Title 2 of the UDO or the purpose and intent of the comprehensive plan.

This page is only required for existing Conditions of Approval that were imposed with the adoption of the original Variance. If Conditions of Approval exist for the Future Land Use Map (Comprehensive Plan), Rezoning (Zoning Map Amendment), or Special Use Permit that need to be changed, separate application(s) are required.							
a. List the existing conditions of approval:							
b. List the existing conditions of approval that are proposed to be altered and/or repealed:							
c. Provide justification for the proposal:							

ALTERATIONS TO OR REPEAL OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

	APPLICANT CERTIFICATION										
Please re	Please read and initial the following statements:										
1.	1. I hereby request the County consider the information contained within this application relative to the property shown on the attached plats and site plan and further request that this item be placed on the Planning Commission (PC) and/or Board of Commissioners (BOC) Agenda for a public hearing.										
2.	2. I understand that my request will be rejected if all the necessary information and/or requirements are not presented.										
3.	3. I understand that I have an obligation to present all necessary information required by the Rockdale County Department of Planning & Development (P&D) to enable the PC and/or BOC to make an informed determination on my request. I will seek advice of P&D Staff or an attorney if I am not familiar with the zoning and land use requirements.										
4.	4. I understand that my request will be acted upon at the PC and BOC Public Hearings and that I am required to be present or to be represented by the authorized representative as indicated on this application, so that someone is available to present all facts and answer questions. I understand that failure to appear at a public hearing may result in the postponement or denial of my request. I further understand that it is my responsibility to be aware of relevant public hearing dates and times regardless of notification from Rockdale County.										
5.				nent Ordinance rublic participation					ect property. In e	order to ensure	e that the
6.									complete applica complete applica		
7.	I have rea	d and underst	ood the applicab	le sections of the	Rockdale	County	Unified Deve	lopment Ordi	inance, as provide	ed in the Instru	actions.
she is 18	years of ag	e or older and	l has provided at	least one secure	and verifi	able doc	ument, as req		undersigned also G.A. § 50-36-1(e		
	e in front										
of notary	to sign:		(Signature)			(Applicant's Name) (Date)					
					No	TARY					
The secu		fiable docume	ent provided with	this affidavit car	n best be			(tx	ype of document)		
								(1)	ype of document)		
Executed	l in	(city)		(county)		(state)	, this	(day)	day of	, 20_(month)	(year)
Notary Public signature					SEAL						
GA Registration No. and expiration date											



Wait to be in front of notary to sign:

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OWNERSHIP STATEMENT & OWNER'S CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

the undersigned applicant also hereby verifies that he or she is 18

(Owner's Name)

shall each sign individually. Make copies if needed. **OWNERSHIP STATEMENT** As the current owner(s) of Tax Parcel #(s) _ I (we) respectfully request that the subject property be issued a Special Use Permit or that Alterations to Conditions of Zoning be made. Name: Phone #'s: Email: Address: City: State: Zip: If the owner is a business, list the Registered Agent or Authorized Signatory: OWNER'S CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT No, I have not made, within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application, campaign contributions or gifts of \$250.00 or more to any local government official of Rockdale County, Georgia listed below. Yes, I have made, within two (2) years immediately preceding the filing of this application, campaign contributions or gifts of \$250.00 or more to any local government official of Rockdale County, Georgia listed below. If yes, notate to whom the campaign contribution was made during the two years immediately preceding the filing of the application, the dollar amount, description of each contribution, and the date each contribution below and continue on a separate sheet if necessary, in the following format: Rockdale County Board of Commissioners Position Description Name Amount Date Oz Nesbitt, Sr. Chairman Sherri L. Washington, Esq. Post I Commissioner Doreen Williams, PhD Post II Commissioner Convers-Rockdale Planning Commission Name Position Amount Description Date Steve Weinstein, PhD PC Chairman, County Tom Harrison Vice-chair, County Tawanna Smith-Fenty City Ernestine Stovall-Goolsby County Muddessar Ahmad City Karen Benton City Ronnie Burrell County

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(Signature)



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